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DIST: 9 NOVEMBER 1994

COUNTRY: GUATEMALA

SUBJ: COMMENTS  
ON THE CASE OF INSURGENT EFRAIN BAHACA VELASQUEZ

DOI: EARLY NOVEMBER 1994

SOURCE:

TEXT: 1. IN EARLY NOVEMBER 1994,

COMMENTED HE BELIEVED THE CASE OF REVOLUTIONARY ORGANIZATION OF  
PEOPLE IN ARMS (ORPA) LEADER EFRAIN ((BAHACA)) VELASQUEZ, ALIAS  
"COMANDANTE EVERARDO," HAD BEEN FULLY RESOLVED UNTIL JENNIFER  
((HARBURY)) RESURFACED IN GUATEMALA CLAIMING TO HAVE BEEN THE WIFE  
OF THE DEAD GUERRILLA. COMMENT: U.S. CITIZEN HARBURY HAS  
BEEN ON A HUNGER STRIKE IN FRONT OF THE NATIONAL PALACE SINCE 11  
OCTOBER TO DEMAND THE RETURN OF BAHACA, WHO SHE BELIEVES IS ALIVE  
AND BEING HELD IN A MILITARY CLANDESTINE PRISON.) STATED  
THAT HARBURY HAD BEEN PRESENT DURING THE EXHUMATION OF WHAT WAS  
BELIEVED TO BE BAHACA'S BODY. SHE SAID AT THE TIME SHE WAS AN  
INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS LAWYER, AND HAD NOT SPOKEN OUT WHEN THE  
QUESTION WAS ASKED IF ANY MEMBERS OF THE BAHACA FAMILY WERE  
PRESENT. SAID SHE HAD THEN LEFT THE COUNTRY. ONLY WHEN  
SHE LATER RETURNED, ALLEGED, DID SHE CLAIM TO BE BAHACA'S  
WIFE. SAID HE PERSONALLY HAD PROBLEMS BELIEVING HER  
CLAIM OF MARRIAGE TO BAHACA. COMMENT: IS  
PRESUMABLY REFERRING TO THE FIRST EXHUMATION IN MAY 1992, WHEN THE  
ATTORNEY GENERAL STOPPED THE PROCESS WHEN NO ONE IDENTIFIED  
HIMSELF AS A FAMILY MEMBER. AT THE TIME OF AN EXHUMATION ON 17  
AUGUST 1993, HARBURY DID CLAIM TO BE THE WIFE OF BAHACA.)

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COMMENT: WAS  
PROBABLY REFERRING TO  
WHO SAYS HE SAW BAHACA ALIVE IN SAN MARCOS AFTER THE 12 MARCH 1992  
DATE ON WHICH THE MILITARY SAYS BAHACA WAS KILLED.)

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